

The City of Hopewell, Virginia

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The Hopewell Police Department to participate in National Prescription Drug Take-Back Day 2020



[Hopewell, VA] – On Saturday October 24, 2020 from 10 A.M. to 2 P.M., as part of the 19th National Prescription Drug Take Back initiative, the Hopewell Police Department, in conjunction with the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA), will give the public another opportunity to prevent pill abuse and theft, by disposing of potentially dangerous, expired, unused, and unwanted prescription drugs.

As part of the initiative, the Hopewell Police Department is asking citizens to bring their expired and/or unwanted medications for disposal to the Hopewell Police Department's collection sites. This year Hopewell Police Department will have two collections site: one located in the Hopewell Police Department parking lot at 150 West Randolph Road, Hopewell, VA 23860 and the other in the main parking lot of John Randolph Medical Center, 411 West Randolph Road, Hopewell, VA 23860.

No needles, syringes, or liquids accepted at the collection site. The service is free and anonymous with no questions asked.

For additional details regarding this event, as well as other collection site locations, please contact the Hopewell Police Department Community Engagement Team (804) 452-4668 or visit www.DEA.gov.